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In re Application of: Chen, et al.

Title: SHORT DURATION DEPOT FORMULATIONS

Serial No.:

10/606,969

Filing date: 06/25/2003

Examiner:

Silverman, Eric E.

Group Art Unit: 1618

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TRANSMITTAL FEE SHEET

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following for the above-identified application:

- 1. Return Receipt Postcard;
- 2. Transmittal Fee Sheet (2pp.);
- 3. Petition for Extension of Time (1pg.);
- 4. Response to Office Action (19pp.).

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Claims	Number Filed	Minus Claims previously paid for	Number Extra	Large Entity Rate	TOTAL
.	124	-124	0	X \$ 50	\$ 0
Claims	1				
	4	-4	0	X \$ 210	\$ 0
Independent Claims					
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)			0	X \$370	\$ 0

Petition for 3 month Extension of Time

\$1050.00

TOTAL:

\$1050.00

Please charge Deposit Account No. **50-1953** in the amount of \$_1050.00 as set forth in this transmittal letter. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any

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If there are any questions regarding the above, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at 408-777-4915.

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